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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05788-0183

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Giovanni BRANDI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2882  
Application No.: 09/937,653 ) Examiner: Thomas R. Artman  
Filed: January 18, 2002 ) Confirmation No.: 51521  
For: OPTICAL CABLE FOR )  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

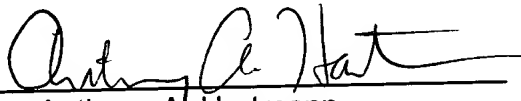
Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of April 2, 2004. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account no. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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